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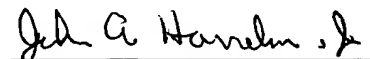
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Applicant hereby submit that the subject matter of the claimed invention of Application Serial No. 08/319,411 and U.S. Patent 6,395,474 were made by, or on behalf of parties to a joint research agreement within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. 103(c), the joint research agreement was in effect on or before the claimed invention in the instant application was made, and the claimed invention was made as a result of activities undertaken within the scope of the joint research agreement.

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